



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Applicant : S. M. Jordan, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/632,341  
Filed : 3 Aug 2000

Examiner : Janet D. Chance  
Group : 3626

Entitled : System and Method for Measuring and Managing Performance in an Information Technology Organization  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

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Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of (1/15/03) in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (blacken time period desired):

- One month    Two months    Three months    Four months    Five months

The fee for the extension of time is \$ 110.00, and is to be paid as follows:

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 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to IBM Corporation Deposit Account 09-0457. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  
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Dated: 15 May 2003

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I hereby certify that the enclosed or attached correspondence and fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on 15 May 2003 by Judith A. Beckstrand.

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Date 15 May 2003